LEONCAVALLO IN RAGE DEFENDS ITALIAN MUSIC

"Attempts to Force Genius Thro' Wagnerian Sieve," Declare's Composer, "Must Fail."

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.] Paris, October 18 .- Leoncavallo, the distinguished Italian composer, in an thing that these masters have achieved shade? Nothing! It is all 'sound and that we reject the bag of nails!

"Why should anybody to-day be mony are not incompatible with the compelled to express himself only in terms of Wagner?" the Italian deamanded. "The attempt to force Italian guius, for instance, through the Wagnerian sieve must inevitably fail; it squeezes out all the juice, spoils the sieve, and leaves but a squashed and gruesome mess!

sieve, and leaves but a squashed and gruesome mess!

"Pagliacci' is a clean and noble theme compared with 'Salome,' which is dirt. As for the methods and effects of Strauss, the purport of his 'music in to distinguish voices in the din of passaging crowds. But you might as well put a lot of nails in a bag, clink them, and try to distinguish the special clink of a given nail.

"We peor, benighted Italians knew nothing of those things! As if all of us are ignorant of Bach and Beethoven, of Berlioz and Wagner himself. The pretention is grotesque. It is precisely because we are acquainted—as fully, perhaps, as Strauss himself—with every puts Beethoven and Berlioz in the

Good Sour Pickles, gallon 25c

Large Juley Lemons16c
Pure Ground Pepper, lb.....20c

New Lake Herrings, dozen . . . 20c

New Barley, for soup, lb.....6c

New California Prunes, lb.....8c

California Loose Raisins, lb. . . 8c

New Smoked Bloaters, doz 25c

1-lb. Country Roll Butterine . . 15c

5-lb. jar Preserves......**85c** 3-lb. jar Home-Made Preserves.**20c**

Fresh New Comb Honey, pkg.. 17c

Finest Grade Lump Starch, lb..4c Home-Made Jellies, lb......5c

Good 5-String Broom.....25c A Very Good Mixed Tea, lb...25c

Home-Made Preserves, lb.....7c

piece, 20c lb.; less than 21c

Imported Mushrooms, ex- 18c

New Smoked Scotch Her-ring, 30 to 40 in box .. 18c.

High Grade Macaroni, 1 lb. 7c

in large 2-pound cans, 38c

4 cans, 2-lb., best Toma- 25c

Best Quality Rye Flour, \$4.75

Finest Succotash, 9c, 25c

Ceresota Flour, bag, \$6.00

Quaker Rolled Oats, 2 25c

our New Price List, it's a money saver.

California Table



Rosemary Old Time Virginia

Recipes of Mrs. R. J. Johnson. They Are Delicious Ask Your Grocer

some decided opinions on the various so-called "schools" of music and their influence.

"Why should anybody to-day be that we reject the bag of nails!

"Distinction of theme, simplicity of expression, nobility of melody and harmony are not incompatible with the most of the most of

New Codfish, 1-lb. brick.....7c

New Cranberries, quart.....10c

\$1.00 bottle Imported Gin 85c

Purity Brand Butterine, lb....22c

Good Creamery Butter, lb 33c

Good Carolina Rice, 1b......6c

Sweetheart Toilet Soap, 6 bars.25c Swift's Snap Soap, 12 bars...25c

Good Country Bacon, lb..... 19c 6 bars Octagon Soap for....25c Good Cream Cheese, lb.....18c

Good Salt Pork, lb10 1/2 c

7 boxes Oil Sardines for 25c

Quart jars German Mustard..10c New Strained Honey, lb....12 1/2 c

Pillsbury Flour, 38c bag \$6.00 per barrel

ular 25c size now 17c; 8c small size cans 8c

Virginia Pride Roasted 22c Coffee, 1-lb. pkgs.....

celain tops, quarts, 45c; 65c

fornia Sherry or Port of Wine, bottle 35C

Good Canned Salmon, Alaska

Brand, 8c can; or, per 95c 1-lb. cans Good Luck Baking Powders 8c

Snowflake Flour, per \$5.10

WE DO IT --- Save you 25 per

Best Quality.

Best Brands.

Best Service.

Every Article Guaranteed

Absolutely Pure Leaf Lard, lb. 14c

Small California Smoked Hams, lb. 13c

Small Best Sugar Cured Hams, any size, lb. 19c

Best American Franklin Brand Granulated Sugar, 1b......43/4c

Finest Breakfast Bacon, by the | Peter's Finest Quality Cocoa, reg-

New Seeded Raisins, 1-lb. pkg......gc

Tall cans Red Alaska 121/2c | Eagle Brand Roasted Cor- 20c

Good Large Country Eggs, dozen...... 28c Jasmine or Eagle Brand White | Excellent Quality Rio Roasted

California Asparagus, 15c regular 25c cans now.. 15c Onlifornia Table Peaches, 14c can; doz. \$1.65

Argo Brand, Red Salmon, can.....16c Butterfly High Grade Condensed Milk, large cans, Libby's Finest Roast Beef, Pull quart bottle Rooney's Quart bottle Sealed Califolds of the Condense Roast Beef, Pull Quart bottle Sealed Califolds of the Condense Rooney's Rooney'

New Fat Norway Mackerel, 5c, or 6 for.....25c

Jelly or Jelly Ice Cream 25c | 6 large pkgs. Fels Naphtha 25c | Powders, 3 pkgs. 25c

Octogan Soap Powders; regu-4c Best Sugar Corn. 6c can; 70c

Washington Crisp Corn 25c | Randal's Finest Grape 38c | Flakes, 3 pkgs. for... 25c | Juice, pint, 22c; quart. 38c | Best City Meal, 24c peck; 95c

New California Evaporated Peaches, lb.....roc

Table Talks Flour, 85c \$5.50 | Pure Albemarle Cider Vinebag; or, per barrel. \$5.50 | Pure Albemarle Cider Vinegar, per gallon...... 25c

Special attention to Phone and Mail Orders. Write for

cans 22c

Royal Brand Cocoa, 1-4 lb. cans, 9c; 1/2 lb. cans, 12c; 1-lb

9c; 3-lb. pkg., 14c; 6-lb. pkg......25c

Prepared and Mountain Buckwheat, ready for use, 2-lb. pkg.,

cent on your Groceries.

iury signifying nothing'; it is rotten at the core, for the core of all is great melody!

TRIALS OF NEW BATTLESHIP.

Monster Dreadmught Texas Will Leave on Monday for Maine Coast.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Newport News, Va., October 18.—The new monster Dreadmaught Texas, the largest battleship in the world, will leave on Monday for Rockland, Me., to undergo her official acceptance trials. She will be manned by a crew of ship-yard mechanics, and Captain W. G. Melvin, of this city, will be in command. Vice-President A. L. Hopkins and General Manager Ferguson will go along.

The Texas finished loading stores and supplies to-day, and will leave the ship-yard to-morrow morning, dropping down into the harbor. The vessel will be away one week, having first her standardization trials, then her four hours' forced draft speed run, and her twenty-four hours' endurance run at varying speeds.

In about two months the Texas will be turned over to the Navy Department at the Norfolk Navy-Yard. Captain Grant, United States Navy, will be her commanding officer.

Believe "Black Hundred" Will Organize Program at Conclusion of Trial.

Ispecial Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]

London, October 18.—The general belief in Russia is that, regardiess of what disposition is made of Mendel Belliss, on trial at Kleff for "ritual murder," the Black Hundred will ordain a program at the conclusion of the case, and the Jews are fearful of the outcome, according to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Times. "Examination of the witnesses will take at least two weeks more," says the dispatch. "So far, all the evidence which has been material against Belliss could be put on the point of a pin.

"This is not the trial of Beiliss; it is undoubtedly the last fight for existence on the part of the innermost powers of the old reactionary power. It is daily becoming clearer that under the form of the law a great political and social question is being lought."

Contradict Bribe Story.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]

Kieff, October 19.—The entire testimony of to-day's session of the trial of Mendel Beiliss, charged with the "ritual murder" of Andrew Yushinsky, concerned the alleged \$20,000 bribe offered Vera Cherberyak, a recent witness. No testimony bearing on the guilt or innocence of Beiliss was offered.

A number of police efficers were placed on the witness stand to refute the Cherberyak woman's testimony that she had been offered the bribe to confess that she was an accessory to the murder and to implicate seven others.

Belliss has now apparently.

sthers.

Belliss has now apparently become reconciled to the routine of the trial, and he no longer rises to protest and interrupt witnesses, but sits quietly listening to the testimony, as if he realizes that he is but a minor factor, and that the real issue of the trial revolves around principles other than the death of the Yushinsky boy.

MAKE PLEA FOR TRUST

Employes of Steel Corporation Ask
That Suit Be Called Off.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, October 18.—Declaring
that they had been refused permission
to defend the steel trust by the Stanley Steel Investigating Committee, 13.—
000 of the trust employes to-day peti-0 of the trust employes to-day

000 of the trust employes to-day petitioned the government to call off its suit against this corporation.

The petitioners were all employes of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company, the purchase of which, during the bankers' panic, of 1907, was charged as an act of financial brigandage against the United States Steel Corporation.

poration.

The packet containing the petition weighed thirteen pounds. It was addressed to Majority Leader Underwood, of the House, and was immediately dispatched to the Department of Justice special messenger.

Steamer Goes Aground.

London, October 18.—The German steamer Georgia, from Pensacola, September 25 and Norfolk October 1, for Hamburg, went aground off Blankenez during a fog. Assistance has been sent to the vessel.

Nomination Is Confirmed. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, October 18.—The Senate totay in executive session confirmed the nomnation of Frank W. Shelld to be postmas-

TAKES POISON BY MISTAKE.

Prominent Edgecombe Farmer Dies as Result of Error.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Tarboro, N. C., October Js.—Lingering for two weeks and knowing that death alone could relieve him, William T. Gardner died near here to-day as the result of taking dose of mercury by mistake for headache medicine. Recently Gardner underwent a slight operation, and two nights later while in search for something to relieve his head made the fatal mistake in the dark. Few hours later the accident was discovered, but the best medical sid could not counteract the deadly poison. He railled for a while, but the end came suddenly this morning. Gardner was well-known through Eastern Carolina, and was one of Edgecombe's prominent citizens. Surviving are his wife and six children. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon.

Fowlkes...Duncan.
[Special to The Times Dispatch.]
Pelham, N. C., October 18.—A pretty auimn marriage took place at the home of
r. and Mrs. R. W. Duncan, of this place,
a Wednesday, October 18. when their
aughter, Miss Neva Ethel Duncan, became
be bride of James Hester Fowlkes, of Milnn, N. C. . C. parlor was attractively decorated with

The parior was attractively decorated with atted plants and cut flowers. As the bridal urty entered the bridal chorus was rensered by Miss Aldine Pleasants, of Reidstele, N. C. The ceremony was performed the Rev. R. L. Andrews, of the Methost Episcopal Church, of this place. The attendants were Miss May Ella ovikes, sister of the groom, as maid of more, with Tom Womack as best man, both this place; Miss Hortense Duncan, sister the bride, with Miss Bessie Edwards, of hisrottesville, as bridesmaids. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Fowlkes, of this place. Besides the young tope of the community, others present ere Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Alexander, of reenshoro, N. C.; Mrs. H. C. Johns, of hariottesville, Va., grandmother of the ride, and Miss Lucille Plants, of Stokesand, Va. id. Va.

After the ceremony the couple left for
askington, D. C., and other points North,
i their return they will make their future
one in Milton, N. C.

Named by President.
Washington, October 15. President Wilson to-day made these nominations:
Governor of Porto Rico, Arthur Yager, of Kentucky. Kentucky.
Solicitor of internal revenue, Ellis C. Johnson, of Washington.

Vienna, October 18.—Austria to-day sent an ultimatum to Servia, itemanding the immediate hand complete evacuation of the points in Albania occupied by Servian troops after the recent conflicts between them and the Albanians.

CAMERA COPIES

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]
Vienna, October 18.—Director Frederick S. Archenhold, the Imperial Astronomer of Berlin, gave for the first time in the annals of astronomy (during the Natural Scientists' Congress in Vienna) kino demonstrations of the movements of the stars, and especially exhibited the last total eclipse of the sun from start to finish as taken through the monster telescope in Treptow-Berlin.

eclipse of the sun from start to finish as taken through the monstor telescope in Treptow-Berlin.

Archenhold says his telescope has the greatest length and magnifying power of any in the world. The glass is sixty-flve centimetres across, magnifying 6,000 times and the wholo weighs 260,000 pounds. It is operated by four electromotors. Its dome is divided in two parts. The protecting half moves within the telescope, while the other half may be totally removed. By this arrangement the air densities are undisturbed. Another feature of the telescope is that it is so simple a child can operate and turn it.

The entire construction is the fruit of Archenhold's genlus and, being under pressure of means, he was forced to arrive at the greatest results with the smallest outlay, and this magnificent sky searcher can be reproduced for the modest sum of \$60,000.

\$60,000

romantic one. As a young astron-omer he announced having discovered a great nebulae in the constellation of Perseus. This was disputed by the German astronomers, but Archenhold wrote to the Lick Observatory in Mt. Wilson, Cal., and his discovery was verified. For this he was given recognition by the German government and, encouraged, the young astronomer de-cided to demand that Germany should construct a suitable telescope by which native astronomers might verify their own discoveries.

The expense was never allowed and, undaunted, he personally fought out the great battle for funds, and with his own energy canvassed the lovers of science in all classes, and in three short years, in 1896, he victoriously accomplished his end.

Dr. Archenhold has received two honorary degrees from American universities, having been called to the States several times, and again in 1915 will make a tour of the American astronomical centres.

Dr. Archenhold is an English scholar, Dr. Archenhold is an English scholar, as well, and an author of noted text and popular books. Among his works are "The Secrets of the Sky," "A Day Upon the Moon," "An Excursion With the Planets," "Messages from the Farthest Stars," "Scott and the Stars at the South Pole." All these subjects and many side questions are presented with moving pictures three times a week in the great audience room of the observatory.

WILL HEAR TESTIMONY IN SUITS BROUGHT BY MORSE

testimony in suits brought by the Charles W. Morse interests against the Metropolitan Steamship Company and the Pacific Navigation Company, alleging violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, will be begun here October 23 before Nicholas W. Bindsell, mas-ter in chancery of New Jersey, in which jurisdiction the suits are pending. The order for the examination of several witnesses at this time was issued to-day by Supreme Court Justice Newberger.

OLD-TIME SPELLING BEE.

Pupils of Amelia School Defeat Citizens of Community.

Amelia, Va., October Is.—An old-time spelling bee was held at the Amelia High School last night, the contestants being the students against the community. A large audience gathered to witness the exciting battle, which was won by the high school. Misses Wallace and Lush remained standing after the other side had been vanquished. The contest was instructive as well as interesting, and lasted for an hour and a half.

Much pleasure was added to the evening by a musical program which interspersed the spelling. The violin solos by Mr. Marsh were especially enjoyed by the audience.

On October 24 a plenie will be held on the school grounds in observance of Patrons Day. Speakers have been secured, and the day will not doubt be profitable and enjoyable. A meeting of the Patrons' League will be held in the afternoon. The County Teachers' Association will also meet on that day. The Board of Supervisors at its meeting on Monday passed a resolution limiting imber and the haulers having under four-inch tires on their wheels to certain restricted loads on the permanent roads now being constructed in the county. The limit is 696 feet of lumber and eight railroad ties at a load. Pupils of Amelia School Defeat Citizens of

Tice---Massie.

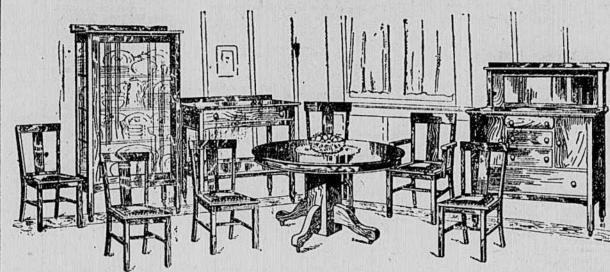
Pulaski, Va., October Is.—A beautiful marriage and one of unusual interest throughout the State was solemnized this evening at 6:30 o'clock in Christ Episcopal Church, in Pulaski, the contracting parties being Miss Mary Bentley Massie, of Pulaski, and Henry Keisacker Tice, of Roanoke, Rev. C. E. A. Marshall, rector of the parish, officiating. The bride was gowned in imported handembroidered crepe de chine, with trimmings of Spanish lace and pearls. Her veil was of rich rose point, caught with orange blossoms. She carried a showed bouquet of Bride's roses and lilles of the valley.

Just preceding the ceremony "O, Promise Me" was sung by Miss Mary Wysor, and while Lohengrin's "Wedding March" was rendered by Hensel Eckman the bride entered the church with her brother, P. C. Massie, who gave her in marriage. The bridegroom and his attendant, George Lowe,

Owes His Life to This Lung Remedy

If you neglect a continued cough or cold, you are in constant danger of easily contracting serious Lung Trouble. The cough or cold which does not yield to ordinary treatment should be a warning to you and preventive measures should be taken as soon as possible. In many cases Eckman's Alterative, a remedy for Throat and Lung Troubles, has brought permanent recovery. Read this:

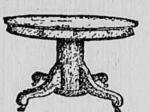
Furniture of Beauty as Well as Usefulness



You will always find values at our store. And remember, we allow you a liberal discount for cash, or you can have any article charged.

Costumer

Extension Table



This Solid Oak Polished Extension Table, like cut; will seat 8 people; worth \$15: \$11.98

Sectional Bookcases

the state of the same

THE THEORY



ing-A Four-Section Bookcase, finished in Golden Oak or Early English. Worth \$16.50,

number of sections.

But we are offer-

Spec-cial . \$13.50

Drop Side Cribs Drop Side Cribs for baby. He or she cannot fall out

selves. We have any number of designs, but we are

Hall Rack

Hall Rack, like cut, made in

solid oak and nicely finished; a

real \$10.00 value; spe- \$7.75

This Exact Drop Side Crib, with soft top mattress; worth \$9.00; spe- \$6.75

Library Table

This Table is nicely and strongly made, of well cured woods. It has a writing desk on each side that pulls out and affords a pleasant convenience

for correspond- QQ EA ence. Special .

Chiffoniers

offering-



\$8.50 A Solid Oak 5-Drawer Chiffonier, without mirror; \$4.75

Bissels Carpet Sweeper

A Carpet Sweeper is a joy to every housewife. They cost nothing to operate, and do the work quickly and efficiently.

\$2.50, \$2.75 Up.

Carpets, Rugs and Druggets

9 by 12 Axminster Druggets......\$22.50 Up. 9 by 12 Velvet Druggets......\$19.89 Up. 9 by 12 Crex Druggets......\$7.50 & \$8.50.

Parlor Suites

3-Piece Parlor Suites......\$16.00 to \$70.00.

COMFORTS, BLANKETS, ROPE PORTIERS, LACE CURTAINS.

Heating Stoves of Every Description

Comet No. 20......\$18.50.

Comet No. 21......\$22.50. Tip Top Hot Blast Heaters,

\$14.50, \$17.00 to \$35.00.

New Perfection Heaters Priced



Rayo Nickel Oil Lamps \$1.00

meeting the bride at the altar. She attended by Miss Mariam Poore, of Baltiattended by Miss Mariam Poore, of Baltimore, Md., as maid of honor, who wore blue brocaded satin with boilee of pink chiffon and short veil of blue tulle, and carried pink Killarney roses.

The ribbon girls were little Misses Emily Cooper Langhorne and Emily Addison Langhorne, wearing white organdle dresses with trimmings of shadow lace. Little Miss Katherine Woodbury, of Roanoke, was flower girl, and wore a dress of shadow lace with pink ribbon, carrying a basket of pink sweet peas. The ushers were Harry H. Nicholson, William Woodbury, uncles of the bride; Wilbur Massle, a brother, and D. Gray Langhorne.

ventive measures should be taken as soon as possible. In many cases Eckman's Alterative, a remedy for Throat and Lung Troubles, has brought permanent recovery. Read this:

Catherine Ave. and Ascot Place.
Queens Court. L. L. N. Y.

"Gentiemen: In the year 1908 I was taken with a heavy cold and a nasty short cough. I went to several doctors, who gave me a lot of medicine. Finally, I went to a special ist, who gave me crossote that made me sick of all kinds of food; consequently I failed in health. I then went to the Catsilla, and seemed to get better, but the cough still kept up. I stayed there for one year, and then went to a farm near Jersey City, a very sick man. About the time of my return, my brother recommended Eckman's Alterative to me very highly. It is now nearly two years since I first took it. I am now well, and I dare say that I would have been buried long ago if it had not been for Eckman's Alterative."

(Affidavit) JOSEPH J. TROESCHER. (Above abbreviated; more on request.)

Eckman's Alterative."

(Affidavit) JOSEPH J. TROESCHER. (Above abbreviated; more on request.)

Eckman's Alterative."

(Affidavit) JOSEPH J. TROESCHER. (Above abbreviated; more on request.)

Eckman's Alterative."

(Affidavit) JOSEPH J. TROESCHER. (Above abbreviated; more on request.)

Eckman's Alterative."

(Affidavit) JOSEPH J. TROESCHER. (Above abbreviated; more on request.)

Eckman's Alterative."

(Affidavit) JOSEPH J. TROESCHER. (Above abbreviated; more on request.)

Eckman's Alterative."

(Affidavit) JOSEPH J. TROESCHER. (Above abbreviated; more on request.)

Eckman's Alterative."

(Affidavit) JOSEPH J. TROESCHER. (Above abbreviated; more on request.)

Eckman's Alterative."

(Affidavit) JOSEPH J. TROESCHER. (Above abbreviated; more on request.)

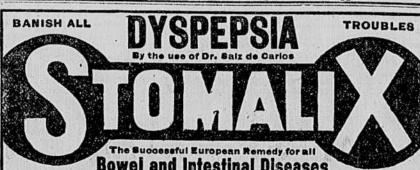
Eckman's Alterative has been proven by many years' test to be most efficacious for severe Throat and Lung Affectlons, Bron. Above the cheman Labove to the friends after November 1 with Dr. and Mrs. Tice, Miss Mary Tice, Roanoke.

Out-of-town guests included Dr. and Mrs. William Woodbu

First of Several Dances to Be Given During the Session. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Blacksburg, Va., October 18 .- The german Blacksburg, Va., October 18.—The german club of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute Fox, Roanoke, and Mr. Gillespie; Miss Eligave the opening dance of the season on Thursday night, this being the first in the series of germans under the club's management during the session. E. Lee Sutton, of Petersburg, with Miss Irene Fisher, of Roanoke, led the many pretty flgures. A course supper was served in the dining hall at midnight, and the dance ended promptly at 2:30 o'clock. Among the chaperones present were Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Newman, Colonel and Mrs. J. S. A. Johnson, Mrs. O. C. Burkhardt, Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Chrisman, Mrs. N. M. Robinson, Mrs. M. H. Arquid, Mrs. M. Robinson, Mrs. M. H. Arquid, Mrs. M. Robinson, Mrs. M. H. Arquid, Mrs. Some of those dancing were: Miss Dorothy Mayo, Hollins, and Mr. McCue; Miss Diacksburg, and Prof. Vawter; Mrs. R. B. H. Begg. Blacksburg, and Prof. Segg. gave the opening dance of the season on nor Jones, Washington, and Mr. Dushane

loe; Miss Louise K. Hoge and W. R. Legge; Miss Susie Robinson, Blacksburg, and S Heth, Jr.; Miss Mary Fergurson, Washing



Bowel and Intestinal Diseases Successfully Treats and Permanently Cares Stomach Troubles in both Adult and Child.

BOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS

(Agents U. S.) 90 Beekman Street, New York

S. Uman's Son 1820-22 E. Main St. 506 E. Marshall